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MASONIC WEEK OPENED.

Council of Deliberation Held Its Annual Session in Burlington.

Burlington, June 12.—Masonic week opened yesterday, when the annual session of the Council of Deliberation was held. After the conclusion of the business, an interesting address was given by Ill. Frederick H. Babbitt, 33d degree, of Bellows Falls. Ill. Harry L. Ballou, 33d degree, gave his annual address, and both speakers were given strict attention.

The Council of Deliberation elected the following officers: Henry L. Ballou, Chester, commander-in-chief and deputy for Vermont; Raymond L. Soule, Burlington, grand first lieutenant commander; Edward L. Bates, Bennington, grand second lieutenant commander; Frank L. Clark, Rutland, grand minister of state; Lee S. Tillotson, St. Albans, grand chancellor; Austin D. Paige, Lyndonville, grand master of ceremonies; Christie B. Crowell, Barre, grand hospitalier; Llewellyn J. Eggleston, Rutland, grand scribe; Frank T. Martin, Brattleboro, grand standard bearer; Frederick H. Babbitt, Bellows Falls, grand captain of the guard; H. L. Johnson, Burlington, grand sentinel.

At 5 o'clock Vermont consistory conferred in full ceremonial form the 22d degree, Prince of Libanus, after which a recess was taken. At 7:30 o'clock came the official reception of the delegates from the supreme council, and other distinguished visitors from outside the state, together with the members of the 33d degree honorarium for the district of Vermont.

At 8 o'clock the 32d degree, Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret, was conferred in full ceremonial form, including

a synoptical review of the degrees from the 19th to 31st inclusive.

The class of candidates advanced during this session was an unusually large one, composed of representative men and Masons from all sections of the state. After the conclusion of the degree work, the celebration of the jubilee feature of the reunion was carried out. An interesting letter of greeting was read from the most puissant sovereign commander, Barton Smith, 33d degree, of Toledo, Ohio, to which an appropriate response was forwarded by telegram.

Addresses were made by the delegates from the supreme council, Ill. James H. Coddington, 33d degree, of New York City, and Ill. Stephen S. Jewett, 33d degree, of Laconia, N. H., to which Ill. Henry L. Ballou, 33d degree, of Chester, deputy for Vermont, responded. Greetings were also extended by Ill. Frederick H. Schacht, 33d degree, of Jersey City, N. J., and Ill. Henry H. Ross, 33d degree, active member for Vermont. A telegram was received from Ill. Marshall F. Hemmaway, 33d degree, of Troy, N. Y., who was the third delegate, that on account of illness it was impossible for him to be present, and a telegram of sympathy was forwarded.

At 10:30 o'clock the annual banquet was served. During the banquet John M. Carroll, 32d degree, made a forceful speech on the subject of Liberty bonds, and it was later announced that Haswell Lodge, J. W. Roby council, Delta chapter and Vermont consistory had made a collective subscription of Liberty bonds to the amount of \$6,000.

GRANITEVILLE.

A 20 per cent. discount will be given on all spring and summer hats for the next 10 days. Florence Whitcomb, East Barre.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Diamond rings at Burr's. Buy that Liberty bond now. Silk corset covers 49c at Abbott's. Seats for "The Girl from Broadway" are now on sale.—adv.

Porter Perrin of Berlin left yesterday for a visit of a few days in Wells River. A son was born June 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Morgan of 7 Boynton street. Lindol Lebourveau, who enlisted in the United States navy some weeks ago, is passing a few days at his home here.

Coming to Barre, Wednesday, July 4, great musical, flying squadron No. 3, from Hartford, Conn. Watch for further particulars.

Mrs. L. L. Thomas of Denver, Colo., arrived in the city Sunday evening for a visit of several weeks with her brother, Wallace Cover, of 3 Blackwell street. The funeral of Ernesto Perelli, who died yesterday afternoon, will be held at his late home, 5 Elliott street, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. Burial is to be in Hope cemetery.

Mrs. J. A. Cobban and son, Fred Cobban, of South Boston, Mass., are passing a few days in the home of James Leve of Hill street, having been called here by the death of Mrs. Leve.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis DeBois of Maple avenue have closed a deal by which they exchanged a farm in Danville Green for the property of Mrs. E. Damon on Maple avenue. Mrs. Charles Mills will occupy the farm. Mr. and Mrs. DeBois contemplate either selling or renting the property.

Privates N. W. Hooker and McDonald, who are attending the officers' training school in Plattsburg, N. Y., returned Sunday night to their duties, after passing the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hooker of Park street. Both young men testify to the strenuousness of the course at Plattsburg and both appeared to have grown rugged on the hard work mapped out for them. Private McDonald is one of the Norwich men who were admitted to the Plattsburg camp.

J. J. Lamb & Co. have purchased and installed in their printing establishment in the old city building an up-to-date "job" press, which is so constructed as to permit its use in printing heavy posters and large-sized sheets. Because of its bulk, Frank G. Rogers, the truckman, was unable to use the front entrance in moving the press, and before the new machine was safely settled on its emplacement in the printshop hoists and tackle were used in lifting and lowering it through a rear window.

The body of Mrs. Mary (McDonald) Darling, wife of Dr. Leroy Darling of Lowell, Mass., whose death occurred Saturday afternoon, arrived in the city over the Central Vermont railroad Monday evening at 7 o'clock, accompanied by Dr. Darling, the deceased's mother, Mrs. John McDonald, and Mrs. James Hall of Boston. Funeral services were held in private at the McDonald home, 41 Liberty street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. W. Barnett of the Congregational church officiating. Interment was made in the family lot at Hope cemetery.

One of the first moves to be made by the board of aldermen when it assembles for its regular business meeting to-night will be to elect a president to succeed the retiring chairman, ex-Alderman A. E. Bruce, whose resignation from the board was accepted at a special meeting of the council Saturday afternoon. Mr. Bruce served as president of the board from March to June, succeeding Mayor Glyson upon the latter's election. During Alderman Bruce's absence from the board Alderman Loranger, as vice-president, has presided over the aldermanic meetings.

Granite manufacturers and quarrymen planned to utilize a good deal of floor space at the forthcoming convention of the National Retail Monument Dealers' association in Philadelphia, are somewhat at sea over plans for the gathering, as notice received a week ago indicated that the government had commandeered the commercial museum, the great exhibition hall reserved for the convention. Yesterday conflicting telegrams continued to arrive at the headquarters of the manufacturers, and when the exhibitors assembled for a conference last night none of the uncertainty surrounding the situation had been dissolved. Sec. Hefner had assured the association that the museum would be available, but messages from other sources indicated that it would be retained by the government. To-night Sec. H. P. Hinman will leave for Philadelphia, to obtain such information as may enable the exhibitors to complete their plans for the convention.

EAST BARRE.

A 20 per cent. discount will be given on all spring and summer hats for the next 10 days. Florence Whitcomb, East Barre.

Buy that Liberty bond now.

BARRE DAILY TIMES

TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 1917.

The Weather

Partly overcast and warmer to-night and Wednesday; fresh east to south winds.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Pendants at Burr's. Buy that Liberty bond now. See Abbott's line of wash waists. Special showing of wash skirts at Abbott's.

Hugh Halvosa returned yesterday to Hartford, Conn., after a visit in Barre. Miss Edith A. Marcott of Randolph is spending the day with friends in the city.

"The Girl from Broadway"—a musical comedy; lots of real live girls in this show.—adv.

Cut your coupon from yesterday's Times and get a free cake Palm Olive soap at Fitts'.

Anna Little and Frank Borzage in "Immediate Love," a five-reel feature at the Bijou to-day.—adv.

S. H. S. alumni ball Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, S. H. S. hall. All alumni should be there.—adv.

M. J. Whitcomb of East Barre shipped yesterday 11,762 pounds of maple sugar to H. Waite & Son, Morrisville.

Dressmaking, dry cleaning, gloves a specialty. Mrs. Woodworth and Mrs. George, room 19, Eastman block. Tel. 424-2.

Regular meeting of South Barre grange June 14. The third and fourth degrees will be conferred on candidates. Harvest supper. Visitors cordially invited.

Mrs. E. C. Brook of Washington street left to-day for Quebec to attend the graduation exercises at the high school, where she was formerly a teacher.

The Montpelier division of the L. A. A. O. H. wish to announce the working of the third degree to-night, and all Barre members are requested to be present.

Gerald Mason was one of the boys who left for Fort Ethan Allen yesterday. Neal Blanchard has also enlisted in the navy and passed the examination successfully.

A new shipment of white hats, special for graduation week. Call and see them. Special discount on colored hats all this week. Mrs. H. S. Miles, over Dodge's Jewelry store.

C. A. Baldwin, a former resident of Barre, who has been spending several days in the city on business, returned this morning to Keene, N. H., where he is manager of the Playhouse.

Frederick Anderson of Berlin, N. H., who was looked up on an intoxicated charge yesterday, acknowledged a first offense when arraigned in city court this morning and paid the minimum fine, with costs attached.

D. A. Perry left this morning for Brattleboro, where he is to conduct an auction sale for the Thoroughbred Live Stock Co. He made the trip by automobile and was accompanied by John Benjamin and J. Aja of Montpelier.

The ladies' union of the Universalist church will meet in the church parlors Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A program consisting of music and readings will be given. Important business matters are to be considered, after which refreshments will be served.

The funeral of James Giudici, who died at Concord, N. H., Monday after a long illness, will be held at the home of his brother, Frank Giudici of Beekley street, Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock, instead of at 2 o'clock, as stated in yesterday's paper. Friends are requested to take notice of the change.

John Winslow, who has been spending a few weeks with his sister, Mrs. Jennie Northrop of Merchant street, received news yesterday of the death of his son, Elmer Winslow of New York City. Mr. Winslow left for Whitefield, N. H., yesterday afternoon, where he will join the funeral party, as the burial will be in East Hardwick.

Seven lots recently sold for the Currier estate near Currier street were purchased as follows: Two lots, one at \$100 and the other at \$347.50, by Andrew Bjorn; one lot, \$70, by G. H. Douglass; three lots by Louis Bergeron, at \$85, \$100 and \$125; one lot by John Pressley at \$100. The land was laid on the auction block by D. A. Perry.

Hugh Cole of Liberty street, a sophomore at the University of Vermont, has been excused from the remainder of the term through his excellent standing in the chemistry course. Mr. Cole has secured a position in the chemical laboratory in South Bethlehem, Pa., and left for that place Sunday night, after a visit of a few days at his home in this city.

Among the guests at Hotel Barre last night and this morning were the following people: Charles H. Orr of McIntosh Falls, William J. Orr of East Byegate, W. H. Thornton of Yonkers, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Davidson of Boston, R. J. Adelt of Burlington, Charles D. O'Leary of St. Albans, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ackley of Worcester, Mass., W. N. Barnes of Medford, Mass., William J. McCale of Burlington, Mr. and Mrs. E. Kunhla of Boston, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Noyes of Littleton, N. H.

A well known piece of South Barre realty figured in a deal consummated yesterday when the Roben place, so called, was sold for the Douglas G. Roben estate to Arthur Batchelder of this city, who made the purchase for an investment. The property is located just south of South Barre village and will be considerably improved by the purchaser. The sale was made through the D. A. Perry Real Estate agency, who also sold for Josiah P. Sargent of Corinth, the home farm in that place to Mr. and Mrs. Allen H. Carter of West Topsham. The Sargent property contains 100 acres and is listed as one of the finest farms in the town of Corinth. Mr. and Mrs. Carter plan to take possession immediately.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the neighbors and our friends for their generous acts and offers of assistance and many expressions of sympathy during our recent bereavement.

James Leve and family, Mrs. J. A. Cobban, Fred Cobban.



Regular meeting of Iroquois tribe, No. 16, to-night at 7:30. Very important business will come before the meeting.



Special meeting of Winnetta council, No. 10, D. P., Tuesday evening, June 12, at 8:30 o'clock. Important business.

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Appropriate and Useful Gift Articles For Graduation

You will find excellent assortments of everything appropriate for the occasion at this store. Pretty White Dresses, new Waists, Silk and Kid Gloves, new Neckwear, beautiful Ribbons, Fans, Toilet Articles, Silk Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Parasols, large assortments of Silk and Muslin Undergarments.

Sale of Silk Dresses

An assortment of Sample Silk Dresses, unusually pretty styles, marked for this week's selling at 20 per cent. less than regular prices

Special Values in Silk Gloves

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Pretty Fans, priced from.....25c to \$1.75

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A large variety to choose from and extraordinary values.

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See our splendid line of the latest ideas in Neckwear, priced from25c to \$1.50

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The very newest shapes are here, and excellent values, from50c to \$3.98

Onyx Silk Hosiery

Black, White and the best colors in Pure Thread Silk Hosiery, per pr. \$1.00, \$1.15, \$1.50 See the special assortment of Fibre Silk Hose at, per pair50c

Handkerchiefs

A full and complete stock of everything in Handkerchiefs.

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TALK OF THE TOWN

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C. J. Fortney of Manchester, N. H., arrived in the city last evening and began work this morning as a candymaker in Laws' confectionery store. He succeeds Charles Wood, who has been employed at the store for the past two years and who leaves Saturday for a visit of a few days at his home in Keene, N. H., before going to Northampton, Mass., for the summer.

ELEVEN ARRESTS MADE.

Because They Had No Military Registration Cards.

New York, June 12.—Eleven men were arrested and 28 others were detained by the police after a mass meeting held in a Harlem hall last night by the No-Conscription league. The men arrested had no military registration cards and declared flatly they did not intend to register. Those detained were unable to produce registration cards and apparently were of military age.

The arrests were made by United States Marshal Thomas D. McCarthy, who declared that "no great harm would have been done" if all the persons there had been arrested.

"This is no time for a meeting of this kind," asserted Marshal McCarthy. "We will prevent such meetings in the future. Any man who attends such a meeting will be liable to search and must show his registration card. I do not look upon them as friends of the United States. I told Emma Goldman last night that if she held another meeting where she made unpatriotic speeches she would be arrested if I had to arrest her myself."

In the speech she made at the meeting Miss Goldman referred to "ginger snap soldiers" as "scabs who are not worthy of the respect of decent men and women." She seemed to think even less of members of the Home Guard. Her declarations were cheered.

SMALL INVESTORS FAVORED.

They Will Get Bonds Though Issue Is Oversubscribed.

New York, June 12.—Oversubscription of the \$2,000,000 Liberty loan will not deprive small investors of their government bonds, according to Mrs. William G. McAdoo, wife of the secretary of the treasury and chairman of the woman's Liberty loan committee. In a letter to Mrs. Frank A. Vanderlip of this city, Mrs. McAdoo urged that it should be made clear to the small investors that "every single \$50 to \$100 bond is absolutely certain of allotment and also that any purchaser of Liberty bonds who wished to use savings for payment of installments due on June 28 will not lose interest due on amount July 1, since, if individual banks do not make this arrangement, the customer may give order for the amount to the federal reserve bank which will not present it until the interest has been created."

Many large subscriptions were announced here last night. Among them were Frank A. Vanderlip, \$1,000,000 through the women's excellent organization, and a total of \$800,000 for various employees of New York City and county.

GARDEN FELL INTO RIVER.

Rochester, N. Y., Woman Lost Her Life—Body Not Recovered.

Rochester, N. Y., June 12.—Mrs. Charlotte Schaller, 67 years old, yesterday lost her life when the supports of a backyard garden which she had built several years ago in the rear of her dwelling on the brink of the gorge of the Genesee river gave way and the garden fell two hundred feet into the river. The garden was held up on wooden supports and soil had been added from time to time to increase its fertility. It is believed that the recent rains so increased the weight that the supports, already worn by age, gave way. Mrs. Schaller's body was not recovered.

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

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MONTPELIER

High Water Caused Much Apprehension Early This Morning.

High water caused the alarm to be sounded shortly after 1 o'clock this morning in Montpelier, merchants being called out to take care of the goods in their store cellars. The continuous rain of the past few days caused the North branch to overflow, the water reaching a higher point than at any time during the spring. Little damage was done to property here in the city, but gardens along the river are entirely ruined, some being under several feet of water. At Putnamville, about 25,000 feet of logs got away and were carried down the river to Wrightsville. The Winoski joined with the North branch, and farms between here and Middlesex are surrounded by water, the corn field of Levi Wilder at Middlesex being inundated.

Following the example of other cities and acting on the advice of Secretary McAdoo of the treasury department, the Montpelier fire alarm system will sound three times to-night at 9:30 o'clock, twice to-morrow evening, and once on Thursday night, to warn the people that so many days remain in which a Liberty bond may be purchased. Mayor Mitchell directed Chief Pattee to sound the alarm at 9:30 because the curfew comes too near nine o'clock.

In probate court today O. K. Hollister of Barre settled his account as administrator of the estate of Michael D. Plumbe, late of Barre.

ACCEPT FOR AVIATION CORPS.

J. T. Merrill, Son of St. Albans Man, Accepted for Service.

St. Albans, June 12.—J. F. Merrill of New York, eldest son of F. Osmond Merrill of this city, has been accepted in the aviation section of the signal officers' reserve corps and at the completion of training as a flyer, which will probably occupy about five months, he will be assigned to active duty at the front with the rank of first lieutenant.

When Mr. Merrill offered his services he was ordered to Washington, where he underwent an exhaustive examination and was accepted as "exceptionally well qualified."

Mr. Merrill is 23 years old. He was a student at the New York Military academy, then at the University of Wisconsin, where he took up engineering subjects, and was taking additional courses at Columbia university when he volunteered for aviation duty.

WEBSTERVILLE

The Baptist ladies' aid society will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Kossuth in Graniteville.

August Rouleau of Co. H, 5th Massachusetts regiment, and his sister, Josephine, both of Quincy, Mass., arrived here Sunday to visit relatives for a few weeks.

Napoleon Amedy, who is on the sick list, is no better.

Arthur Miller, who has been employed in Philadelphia, returned to his home here Friday night.

Mrs. M. Stevenson of Glassboro, Pa., arrived in town to-day, being called here by the illness of her father, Donald Greenly. Mr. Greenly is recorded as no better.

Mrs. W. E. Lappin and little son, Grandon, went to Springfield, Mass., last week, where they will join Mr. Lappin. A 20 per cent. discount will be given on all spring and summer hats for the next 10 days. Florence Whitcomb, East Barre.

ROOT'S ARRIVAL.

American Party Expected in Petrograd Wednesday Night.

Petrograd, via London, June 12.—The special train which is bringing Elihu Root and the American commissioners to Petrograd is due here to-morrow evening. Representatives of the Russian government and the entire staff of the American embassy will meet the commission at the station.

The commission will be conducted immediately to quarters arranged for them in the winter palace, which will be thrown open for the first time since the revolutionary flag replaced the insignia of the old empire.

PLAINFIELD

The Mothers' club held its last meeting Thursday, June 7, with Mrs. Perry. Six members were present. No program was given, as many things came up for discussion. It was planned to hold a picnic July 3 in Henry Batchelder's woods, the details of which will be given later. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Welch June 21.

ORANGE.

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You will be greatly interested in our showing of Pumps, Colonials and Slippers for graduation week, when everybody wishes to look their best. We've some beautiful creations, and it always affords us pleasure to show them. There are Dainty Patent Kid, Black, White, Ivory, Champagne and Gray Kid. French heels with light aluminum plates.

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